



Galway City Development Board NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the 6th issue of the Newsletter.

In this issue, we will examine how the Galway City Development Board has set up the twelve co-ordination mechanisms listed in their Strategy document.

After the launch of the Galway City Development Board Strategy for Economic, Social, and Cultural Development 2000-2012, the twelve co-ordination mechanisms set up to implement this Strategy have been meeting regularly. They are busy preparing their respective Action Plan that will be submitted at the next meeting of the CDB on September 20th.

The twelve groups are:

1. Arts & Culture Group
2. Community Development Group
3. Economic Development Group
4. Health Forum
5. Integrated Transportation Co-ordinating Group
6. Regional Group
7. Social Inclusion Group
8. Spatial Planning Group
9. Sports & Recreation Forum
10. Strategic Learning Network
11. The Natural Environment and Waterways Group
12. Tourism Group

Each group has a well-defined remit described in the Strategy document.

The Arts & Culture Group's work remit includes an Arts Plan, an Audit of Arts Audiences & Participation, Film Development, a School of Music and a Gaeltacht Communities Strategy.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Ms. Maeve Joyce	Business Sector Representative
Mr. Pat Foley	City of Galway VEC
An tUas Uinseann MacThomáis	Dept. of Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs
Mr. Brendan Ó hEadhra	Foras na Gaeilge
Ms. Jackie Uí Chionna	Galway City Community Forum Representative
Cllr. John Mulholland	Galway City Council
Mr. Michael Burke	Galway City Council
Cllr. Paul Colleran	Galway City Council
Ms. Bernie Kelly	Galway Local Authorities Library Service
Ms. Marion Coy	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Ms. Anne Melia	Ireland West Tourism
Ms. Emily Cullen	NUI, Galway
Nominee Selection Pending	The Arts Council
Ms. Ethna Verling	The Heritage Council
Mr. Rod Stoneman	The Irish Film Board
An tUas Peadar Ó Maoláin	Údarás na Gaeltachta.

Its Alternate Membership is:

An tUas Breandán O'Suilleabháin	Dept. of Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs
Mr. Kevin Higgins	Galway City Community Forum Representative
Ms. Mary McCague	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Ms. Anna Farrell	Ireland West Tourism
Ms. Fran Byrne Keaveney	The Irish Film Board

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The Community Development Group's work remit includes Assistance to Community Groups, Promotion of "Community" and Participation, Promotion of Voluntarism, Charter of Participation.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Sergeant Gerard Mangan	An Garda Síochána
Fr. Martin Glynn	Catholic Church
Rev. Patrick Towers	Church of Ireland
Ms. Fiona O'Loughlin	City of Galway VEC
Mr. Eamon Meagher	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ms. Sandra Bunting	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Cllr. Terry O'Flaherty	Galway City Council
Ms. Martina Moloney	Galway City Council
Cllr. Donal Lyons	Galway City Council
Ms. Maeve Murray	Galway City Partnership
Mr. Ivan McPhillips	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Ms. Deirdre Hardiman	NUI, Galway
Mr. Gary Creaven	Political Parties Representative
Mr. Kieran Cunnane	Political Parties Representative
Rev. Dr. Sahr Yambasu	United Methodist Presbyterian Church
Its Alternate Membership is:	
Rev. Maria Jansson	Church of Ireland
Ms. Sheila Jordan	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ms. Helen Casey	NUI, Galway
Ms. Heather Smith	United Methodist Presbyterian Church

The Health Forum's work remit includes overseeing the implementation of a Health Strategy, "Healthy Living" projects, improving inter-agency linkages, reviewing the adequacy of the Community Health Service.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Inspector Noel Kelly	An Garda Síochána
Mr. Mark Rowlands	Business Sector Representative
Ms. Davnet McEllin	City of Galway VEC
Mr. Anthony Hogan	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Mr. Denis O'Brien	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ald. Margaret Cox	Galway City Council
Ms. Caroline Phelan	Galway City Council
Mr. Stan Sjothun	Galway City Partnership
Mr. Malachy Thompson	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Dr. Jane Walsh	NUI, Galway
Dr. Michael Hogan	NUI, Galway
Ms. Helen Murphy	Trade Union Sector Representative
Ms. Joan Mannion	Western Health Board
Ms. Bridget Howley	Western Health Board
Dr. Sean Conroy	Western Health Board
Its Alternate Membership is:	
Mr. Jack Callanan	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ms. Diane Egan	Galway City Council
Mr. J.J. O'Kane	Western Health Board
Ms. Kevin Clancy	Western Health Board

The Economic Development Group's work remit is Strategic Research & Development, Marketing, Enterprise Development, Telecommunications and Utilities Infrastructure.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Mr. Felim McDonnell	Business Sector Representative
Mr. Jim Brick	City of Galway VEC
Mr. Dave McGinn	Department of Social & Family Affairs
An tUas Uinseann MacThomáis	Dept. of Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs
Mr. Seamus Bree	Enterprise Ireland
Mr. Eamon Gleeson	FÁS
Mr. Niall O'Brolchain	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Mr. Denis O'Brien	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Mr. Ciarán Hayes	Galway City Council
Cllr. Val Hanley	Galway City Council
Ms. Celine McCormack	Galway City Partnership
Mr. Charles Lynch	Galway County & City Enterprise Board
Mr. Larry Elwood	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Ms. Máire Lee Geary	IDA Ireland – West Region
Ms. Anna Farrell	Ireland West Tourism
Professor Michael Keane	NUI, Galway
Mr. Liam Ó hAolain	Trade Union Sector Representative
Its Alternate Membership is:	
An tUasal Breandáin O'Súilleabhéan	Dept. of Community, Rural and Gaeltacht Affairs
Ms. Colette Power	Galway City Partnership
Mr. Kevin Dooley	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology

The Integrated Transportation Co-Ordinating Group's work remit includes overseeing the implementation of an integrated transport strategy.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Superintendent Mick Curley	An Garda Síochána
Mr. Anthony Hogan	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Mr. Jim Woolley	Bus Éireann
Mr. David Niland	Business Sector Representative
Mr. Liam Daly	Dept. of the Tánaiste, Enterprise, Trade and Employment
Mr. Seamus Gavin	Education Sector Representative
Mr. Peter O'Mara	Galway Airport
Mr. Derrick Hambleton	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Mr. Tom Hernon	Galway City Council
Cllr. Tom Costello	Galway City Council
Cllr. Micheal O'hUiginn	Galway City Council
Mr. Joe Tansey	Galway City Council
Mr. John Morgan	Galway County Council
Mr. Gerry Glynn	Iarnród Éireann
Ms. Máire Lee Geary	IDA Ireland – West Region
Mr. Brian Flynn	Ireland West Tourism
Mr. Peter Walsh	National Roads Authority
Mr. Noel Burke	National Taxi Drivers' Union (Galway Branch)
Ms. Maeve Joyce	Private Association of Motor Bus Operators (PAMBO)
Mr. Eamonn Sayers	The National Safety Council
Its Alternate Membership is:	
Inspector Noel Kelly	An Garda Síochána
Mr. Ray McDonagh	Bus Éireann
Mr. Noel Singleton	Dept. of the Tánaiste, Enterprise, Trade and Employment
Mr. Martin Lavelle	Galway County Council
Mr. John Daly	Iarnród Éireann
Mr. Desmond O'Dowd	National Taxi Drivers' Union (Galway Branch)
Mr. Jim Burke	PAMBO representative



The Regional Group's work remit is to co-ordinate Regional Mechanisms.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Mr. Gerry Lavelle	BMW Regional Assembly	Ms. Martina Moloney	Galway City Council
Mr. Frank Dawson	Galway County Council	Mr. John Coll	Mayo County Development Board
Ms. Rita McNulty	Roscommon County Development Board	Mr. Jim McGovern	West Regional Authority.
Dr. Patricia O'Hara	Western Development Commission		

The Social Inclusion Group will address Equality Issues, Anti-racism, Anti-social Behaviour, Employment and Training, Access to Services and other access issues.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Superintendent Tony Finnerty	An Garda Síochána	Ald. Michael Leahy	Galway City Council
Mr. Sean Silke	Business Sector Representative	Ms. Martina Moloney	Galway City Council
Fr. Martin Glynn	Catholic Church	Ms. Elaine Harvey	Galway City Partnership
Rev. Patrick Towers	Church of Ireland	Ms. Helen Casey	NUI, Galway
Mr. Pat Ryan	City of Galway VEC	Mr. Jim Cotter	Trade Union Sector Representative
Mr. Dave McGinn	Department of Social & Family Affairs	Mr. Tom O'Grady	Western Health Board
Mr. Ray Kelly	FÁS		
Ms. Fionuala Foley	Galway City and County Childcare Committee		
Ms. Margaret O'Riada	Galway City Community Forum Representative*		
Mr. John Connolly	Galway City Community Forum Representative*		
Mr. Ciarán Hayes	Galway City Council		
Ald. Padraic McCormack	Galway City Council		
Mr. Declan Brassil	Galway City Partnership		
Ms. Deirdre O'Connor	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology		
Mr. John O'Shaughnessy	Probation and Welfare Service		
Rev. Dr. Sahr Yambasu	United Methodist Presbyterian Church		

Its Alternate Membership is:

Mr. Liam Bluett	Business Sector Representative
Rev. Maria Jansson	Church of Ireland
Mr. David Domican	Galway City Partnership
Ms. Deirdre Hardiman	NUI, Galway
Ms. Heather Smith	United Methodist Presbyterian Church

The Spatial Planning Group will oversee the provision of infrastructure as identified by the National Spatial Strategy and oversee the planning and implementation of integrated community facilities.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Sergeant Kevin Duffy	An Garda Síochána
Mr. Jim Woolley	Bus Éireann
Ms. Mary Dooley	Business Sector Representative
Mr. Bartley Fannin	Education Sector Representative
Mr. Derrick Hambleton	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ms. Marlene O'Connor	Galway City Community Forum Representative
Mr. Ciarán Hayes	Galway City Council
Mr. John Roche	Galway City Council
Cllr. Fintan Coogan	Galway City Council
Cllr. Val Hanley	Galway City Council
Mr. Tom White	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Prof. Micheál O'Cinnéide	NUI, Galway
Ms. Gráinne Cahill	Western Health Board

Its Alternate Membership is:

Mr. Ray McDonagh	Bus Éireann
Ms. Caroline Phelan	Galway City Council
Ms. Michelle Grey	NUI, Galway

The Sports & Recreation Forum's work remit is to develop a Directory of Sports/Recreation/Amenity services and facilities and develop a Sports and Recreation Strategy.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Sergeant Sean Glynn	An Garda Síochána
Mr. Eamon Bradshaw	Business Sector Representative
Mr. Niall McInerney	City of Galway VEC
Ms. Davnet McEllin	City of Galway VEC
Ms. Bernie Lohan	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ms. Mary Flanagan	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Mr. Michael Burke	Galway City Council
Cllr. John Mulholland	Galway City Council
Ms. Breda Brennan	Galway City Partnership
Mr. Frank Ryan	Galway Mayo Institute of Technology
Mr. Tony Regan	NUI, Galway
Professor Martin Newell	NUI, Galway
An tUas Peadar Ó hUllacháin	Údarás na Gaeltachta
Mr. Paul Gillen	Western Health Board

Its Alternate Membership is:

Sergeant Peadar Ryan	An Garda Síochána
Mr. Shane Foran	Galway City Community Forum Representative*
Ms. Kathy Hynes	NUI, Galway
Ms. Fiona Donovan	Western Health Board

The Strategic Learning Network will develop a Learning Strategy.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Mr. Tom Conlon	<i>Business Sector Representative</i>	Cllr. Angela Lupton	<i>Galway City Council</i>
Fr. Martin Glynn	<i>Catholic Church</i>	Ms. Maura Lohan	<i>Galway Education Centre</i>
Rev. Patrick Towers	<i>Church of Ireland</i>	Mr. Peter Keady	<i>Further Education Sector Representative</i>
Mr. Pat Ryan	<i>City of Galway VEC</i>	Ms. Anne M. Ryan	<i>Primary Education Sector</i>
Mr. Jim Brick	<i>City of Galway VEC</i>		
Mr. Paul Browne	<i>FÁS</i>		
Ms. Mary Giblin	<i>Galway City & County Childcare Committee</i>		
Mr. Denis O'Brien	<i>Galway City Community Forum Representative*</i>		
Mr. Brendan Smith	<i>Galway City Community Forum Representative</i>		
Mr. Gary McMahon	<i>Galway City Council</i>	<i>Its Alternate Membership is:</i>	
Ms. Carol Dunne	<i>Galway City Partnership</i>	Rev. Maria Jansson	<i>Church of Ireland</i>
Mr. Gerard MacMichael	<i>Galway Mayo Institute of Technology</i>	Ms. Marie Boner	<i>Further Education Sector Representative</i>
Mr. Seamus O'Grady	<i>NUI, Galway</i>	Ms. Fiona Stewart	<i>Galway City Partnership</i>
Mr. Christy Tyrell	<i>Post Primary Education Sector Representative</i>		
Ms. Ann Fergus	<i>Trade Union Sector Representative</i>		

The Natural Environment and Waterways Group's work remit includes undertaking a needs assessment, developing strategies for the revitalisation of the City's Waterways, developing a "Waterways Strategy" and co-ordinate the activities of the groups involved to enhance the natural environment of the City.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Mr. Brendan Smith	<i>Galway City Community Forum Representative</i>
Ms. Jackie Uí Chionna	<i>Galway City Community Forum Representative</i>
Ald. Catherine Connolly	<i>Galway City Council</i>
Cllr. Declan McDonnell	<i>Galway City Council</i>
Mr. Joe O'Neill	<i>Galway City Council</i>
Ms. Máire Uí Chionna	<i>Galway County Council</i>
Captain Brian Sheridan	<i>Galway Harbour Company</i>
Mr. Malachy Thompson	<i>Galway Mayo Institute of Technology</i>
Ms. Anne Melia	<i>Ireland West Tourism</i>
Cllr. Paul Colleran	<i>Lough Corrib Navigation Trustees</i>
Professor Conleth Cunnane	<i>NUI, Galway</i>
Professor Kieran O'Connor	<i>NUI, Galway</i>
Mr. John Murphy	<i>Office of Public Works</i>
Ms. Anne Wilkinson	<i>The Marine Institute/ Department of Communications, Marine and Natural Resources</i>
Mr. Greg Forde	<i>Western Regional Fisheries Board</i>

**Permanent appointments from the Galway City Community Forum will be finalised in September 2002.*

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The Tourism Group will develop and implement a sustainable Tourism Strategy, prepare an integrated Tourism Marketing Strategy, develop the tourism infrastructure and attractions which are accessible to all.

Its Permanent Membership is:

Ms. Roisin Kelly	<i>Aer Rianta Shannon</i>
Sergeant Peadar Ryan	<i>An Garda Síochána</i>
Mr. Jim Woolley	<i>Bus Éireann</i>
Mr. Ken Bergin	<i>Business Sector Representative</i>
Nominee Selection Pending	<i>County Community Forum Representative</i>
Mr. Peter O'Mara	<i>Galway Airport</i>
Mr. Brendan Smith	<i>Galway City Community Forum Representative</i>
Bríd Ní Chonghóile, Uas.	<i>Galway City Community Forum Representative*</i>
Mr. Ciarán Hayes	<i>Galway City Council</i>
Cllr. Martin Quinn	<i>Galway City Council</i>
Cllr. Pat O'Sullivan	<i>Mayor, Galway County Council 7 Kilgrave Park, Ballinasloe</i>
Mr. Frank Dawson	<i>Galway County Council</i>
Mr. Thomas O'Neill	<i>Galway Harbour Company</i>
Mr. Stuart Jauncey	<i>Galway Mayo Institute of Technology</i>
Mr. Eamon Kealy	<i>Galway Rural Development</i>
Mr. Sean Clasby	<i>Galway Rural Tourism Co-operative</i>
Mr. Myles McHugh	<i>Iarnród Éireann</i>
Mr. Brian Flynn	<i>Ireland West Tourism/ Bord Fáilte / Tourism Ireland/Shannon Development</i>
Mr. John Ryan	<i>Irish Hotels Federation</i>
Ms. Mary Bennett	<i>Irl. West Tourism/Galway City & Council Enterprise Board/Galway Tourism 2000</i>
Dr. Aidan Daly	<i>NUI, Galway</i>
Ms. Anne Duggan	<i>NUI, Galway</i>
Nominee Selection Pending	<i>Private Transport Operators</i>
Mr. Brendan Heneghan	<i>Teagasc, County Advisory Office, Athenry, Galway</i>
Ms. Mary Noone	<i>Town & Country Homes Association, Ashbrook House Oranmore</i>
Mr. Bertie O'Finneadhá	<i>Údarás na Gaeltachta</i>
Ms. Fiona Lynch	<i>Western Development Commission</i>
Mr. Danny Goldrick	<i>Western Regional Fisheries Board</i>
<i>Its Alternate Membership is:</i>	
Mr. Ray McDonagh	<i>Bus Éireann</i>